## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

(Small Entity)

Docket No. BAF-15302/29

## TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:

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For: REDUCED-FRICTION ARTIFICIAL JOINTS AND COMPONENTS THEREFOR

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- Power of Attorney
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
  - Verified Statement(s) to Establish Small Entity Status Under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.

## **CLAIMS AS FILED**

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